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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the ☒ utility ☐ design
patent application of:

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For : INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX, SERVICE CENTER,
METHOD FOR MANAGING INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX,
SERVICE REGULATION SYSTEM, AND SHARED
OPERATIONAL INFORMATION REGULATION SYSTEM

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53, the above-identified application is
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filing date and that the undersigned be notified of the date
by which the filing fee must be submitted. Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification
- ☐ Declaration or Oath
- ☒ 17 Drawing Sheets ☒ Formal
 ☐ Informal
- ☐ Amendment Before First Office Action
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Assignment, with Recordation Form Cover Sheet. A check
for \$ is enclosed to cover the recording fee.
- ☐ Acknowledgment Postal Card
- ☒ Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 based on Japan
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Application No. 2000-112637, filed April 13, 2000.
- ☐ A certified copy of the priority application is
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- [] Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.52, the enclosed application is in the form of a foreign language text:

- [] An English translation and a statement that the English translation is accurate are enclosed.
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